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<u>I-5 STORM-RELATED REPAIRS</u>

UPDATE #5

GOLDEN STATE FREEWAY (I-5) IN AND NEAR CASTAIC – OVERNIGHT LANE CLOSURES FOR STORM-RELATED REPAIRS 8/18 - 8/19

Castaic --- The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as follows in order to perform storm-related pavement repairs.

NORTHBOUND I-5:

- From 7 p.m. Saturday, August 20 to 7 a.m. Sunday, August 21 -- three lanes of northbound I-5 will be closed from Lake Hughes Road to Templin Highway

Closures are weather permitting and subject to change. Signs and detours will be posted to assist motorists. Caltrans reminds motorists that traffic fines are doubled in freeway work zones, and to please *SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE*.

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